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Subject:

Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Lucky Electric Power Company Limited (LEPCL) for January-March 2022 and April – June 2022 Quarters (Case No. <u>NEPRA/TRF-369/LEPCL-2015</u>)

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components (Annex-I) (02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff for Lucky Electric Power Company Limited for the quarters January-March 2022 and April-June 2022 on account of US CPI, CPI Local and Exchange Rate variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-369/LEPCL-2015.

2. The decision is being sent to the Federal Government for intimation and action, if any, by the Federal Government under Proviso (ii) of Section 31(7) of NEPRA Act, before its notification by NEPRA pursuant to the said Proviso of Section 31(7) of NEPRA Act, 1997.

Enclosure: As above

(Syed Safeer Hussain)

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## DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTELY INDEXTION/ ADJUSTMNET OF TARIFF FOR LUCKY ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY LIMITED (LEPCL) FOR JANUARY TO MARCH 2022 & APRIL **TO JUNE 2022 OUARTERS**

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated 20th October 2016 notified vide S.R.O No. 946(I)/2017 dated 15th September 2017 in the matter of approval of upfront local coal tariff for 660 MW coal power plant of Lucky Electric Power Company Limited (hereinafter "LEPCL"), the relevant tariff components in respect of January-March 2022 & April-June 2022 quarters have been revised on account of US CPI, CPI Local and Exchange Rate variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the decision of the Authority. According to LEPCL, it achieved COD on March 21, 2022, therefore, the revised components shall be applicable from March 21, 2022. The revised components are indicated hereunder and shall be immediately applicable:

Tariff Components	Reference Tariff	Revised 21st March to 31st March 2022 Quarter	Revised April to June 2022 Quarter	
Capacity Charge (Rs./KWh)				
Fixed O&M – Foreign	0.1435	0.3067	0.3223	
Fixed O&M – Local	0.1435	0.1984	0.1984	
Total	0.2870	0.5051	0.5207	
Energy Purchase Price (Rs./KWh)				
Variable O&M – Foreign	0.0684	0.1462	0.1536	
Variable O&M – Local	0.0456	0.0631	0.0631	
Total	0.1140	0.2093	0.2167	

Indexation allowed to LEPCL is purely on provisional basis till finalization of its COD tariff by the Authority and shall be subject to adjustment/refund, if necessary, in the light of final decision of the Authority.

The revised tariff components of LEPCL attached as Annex-I are to be notified in the official gazette, in accordance with the provisions of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

CPPA (G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with the tariff determination(s).

**AUTHORITY** 

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Lucky Electric Power Company Limited Ouarterly Indexation/ Adjustment of Tariff

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Tariff Components	Reference Tariff	21 <sup>st</sup> March to 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022	April to June 2022
		Quarter	Quarter
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Indexation Values			
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	97.100	177.950	183.200
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	238.340	277.948	283.716
CPI (General) - Local	194.740	269.270	269.270

<sup>\*</sup> For the purpose of indexation of Local O&M components for January to March 2022 & April to June 2022 quarters, CPI for Nov 2021 & Feb 2022, respectively, were required to be used. However, Pakistan Bureau of Statistics has discontinued the publication of CPI for base year 2007-08 w.e.f. July 2020 and replaced it with National CPI for new base year 2015-16. As per relevant provision of the PPA, the latest available CPI of June 2020 for base year 2007-08 has been used for the instant indexation/adjustment. The indexation of Local O&M components is being made on provisional basis, subject to revision upon decision of new reference index value by the Authority.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The Authority vide its decision dated March 10, 2021 replaced CPI Base Year 2007-08 with N-CPI Base Year 2015-16. The decision shall be implemented upon Notification in the Official Gazette.

